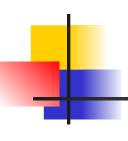




Principles of Management



- "engineering management" by Fraidoon Mazda
- Chapters: 2, 17, 18, 19, 20 & 13
- Reading:
 - Chapter 1 & Case Studies
 - Other Books on the topic & Internet http://www.managementstudyguide.com/



- Is Management an;
- Art?
- Science?
- Neither?
- Both?
- Management is the use of techniques, based on measures, artfully applied.



"There are those who do things and those who talk about things".

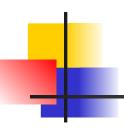
"There are those who do things and those who get things done".



- Scientific ideas usually come from
 - individuals
- We need multi-disciplined teams
 - to develop them into products
 - to market
- The activities of such teams needs to be coordinated and managed.



- For young engineers, management is;
- something they do
- a world full of time wasting effort spent mainly on covering up one's mistakes and stabbing peers in the back
- Surely, this impression of the management is incorrect



The one golden rule about the management is ...

...that there is no golden rule

There are no "rights" or "wrongs" in management

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- Management has broadly been categorized into management of;
- tasks predictable
- people unpredictable

Actually, everything in management leads to people



- In management there are no fixed answers
- All one can do is;
- learn basic principles and techniques of management
- and be guided by experience when applying those

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- In order to learn cricket, it is not sufficient to read a good book on cricket or attend a good lecture on "how to play cricket".
- Of course this is an essential first step: learning the fundamentals, the rules of the game.
- But the only way to become a good player is, to go out in the field and actually play the game, learning from the bruising one receives.



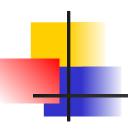
The best a book/lecture on management can hope to achieve is to explain the basic principles (i.e., the tools of management) and the young manager must use common sense in applying these to real-life situations.

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History of Management

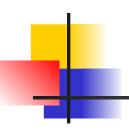
- Practices of engineering & management
- Pyramids of Egypt
- Management a profession, relatively new
- Professional one having minimum standard of education or work achievement, administered by an independent body to which members belong



History of Management

- Earlier industry & management:
- primarily family businesses
- managed by family head &
- very little or no room for promotion of outsiders
- Multinationals professional managers

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History of Management

- American Management Association (AMA) was founded in 1923
- Institute of Management was founded in 1948
- Management techniques have changed over the time - (industrial growth to survival of business)
- 1973 oil crises external environment

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